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1. TOUCHE ROSS REPRESENTATIVE FOR STUDY INTERVIEWS IS HOWARD M. OLSEN, RESIDENT PARTNER IN TOUCHE ROSS TOKYO OFFICE SINCE 1960. OLSEN IS THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR WITH THE JAPANESE SCENE. TOUCHE ROSS STUDY IN JAPAN IS CONCERNED WITH VARIATIONS BETWEEN U.S. AND JAPAN IN (1) ACCOUNTING PRACTICES, (2) FINANCIAL REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE, (3) TAX ACCOUNTING PRACTICES AND (4) OTHER BUSINESS PRACTICES. TOUCHE ROSS INTERVIEWS IN JAPAN WILL BE LIMITED TO JAPANESE PARENT COMPANIES WITH SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES IN THE U.S. I.E. JAPANESE DIRECT INVESTORS IN THE U.S. PLANNED COMPANY CONTACT LIST IS AS FOLLOWS (1) NICHIRO FISHERY CO., (2) KANEBO, LTD., (3) MITSUBISHI, (4) NIPPON ZEON, LTD., (5) MATSUSHITA, LTD., (6) OKI ELECTRIC, (7) YANZAKI TAKKOSHO KK, LTD., (8) YAMAZAKI, LTD., (9) RIKEN PISTON RING KK, (10) TOYOTA, (11) HITACHI, LTD., (12) SUMITOMO KINZOKU KK.

2, TOUCHE ROSS SURVEY IS PART OF THE SAME OVERALL FREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT IN THE U.S. STUDY EFFORT, BUT IS A SEPA-LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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